

COVID-19 Precautions and Attorney Visits to Correctional Facilities

While non-contact attorney / offender visits are recommended during the course of the COVID-19 virus event, Indiana Department of Correction Facilities are presently scheduling and honoring attorney visits with the following requirements:

Non-Contact Visits:

- Requirements for unmonitored Attorney / Offender phone visits:
 - The offender must have the attorney's phone number added to their approved telephone list; and
 - The telephone number must match the contact information on the Indiana Roll of Attorneys
 - All calls are 'collect' unless the offender utilizes prepaid minutes

Contact Visits:

- Attorneys arriving for a contact visit with an offender client will be asked if they have experienced any of the below symptoms in the past 24 hours:
 - Cough
 - Runny nose
 - Shortness of breath
 - Fever
 - A 'yes' reply to any of the above will result in denial of the visit for at least 24 hours
- All visitors may be requested to have their temperature taken
 - The request may be denied and will result in denial to enter the correctional facility
 - A temperature of 100 degrees or higher will result in denial of entry to the correctional facility
 - The visit may be rescheduled 24 hours later with a temperature below 100 degrees

Your understanding of the unique circumstances faced by our country at this time is appreciated. The ultimate purpose and goal of these extra ordinary precautionary efforts is to prevent the introduction of the COVID-19 virus into a correctional environment.